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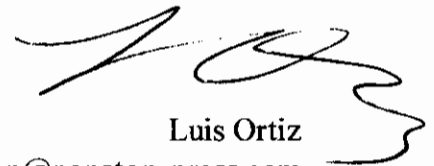
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**Re: The Authors Guild, Inc., et al. v. Google Inc., No. 05 CV 8136**

By this letter, I opt out of the proposed settlement in this case. I am opting out of both the "Author Sub-Class" and the "Publisher Sub-Class," and out of the settlement in its entirety.

I am opting out because any terminus favorable to Google in this case would effectively destroy the foundations of copyright, and the value of my books and writings; indeed, copyright would effectively become what Google says it is since the company would become the singular publishing entity in the world with a court sanctioned decree to behave as monopolistic as it wishes.

Sincerely,



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